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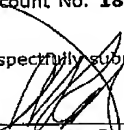
Sir:

The Applicants hereby petition, pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.313(c)(2), to withdraw the above-identified application from issue.

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